

The E-Rate's investment in Category 2 Wi-Fi and internal connections funding is extremely valuable and could not be replaced by school, district or state funds. My school district has already used some or all of its E-Rate Category 2 allotment for the following items: UPS Equipment for network gear, A completely new wireless network with controllers and 300 access points. The connectivity provided by these Category 2 items has improved our school or district's educational experience in the following ways: We do not have to worry as much about power failures. And the new wireless network provides a dependable and sufficient connection to the internet to allow teachers and students to be more confident in the use of technology for learning.